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| REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. § 132, effective on May 29, 2000, provides for continued examination of a utility or plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995 | Application Number | 09/807,809 |
| | Filing Date | July 30, 2001 |
| | First Named Inventor | Robert David Possee |
| | Group Art Unit | 1636 |
| | Examiner Name | Maria Marvich |
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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.
NOTE: 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 is effective on May 29, 2000. If the above-identified application was filed prior to May 29, 2000, applicant may file a continued prosecution application (CPA) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(d) instead of a RCE to be eligible for the patent term adjustment provisions of the AIPA.

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

- a. ☐ Previously submitted
- i. ☐ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on
(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered)
- ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on
- iii. ☐ Other
- b. ☒ Enclosed
- i. ☒ Amendment/Reply
- ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- iv. ☒ Submission of Formal Drawings including Figures 3, 5 and 7

2. Miscellaneous

- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required)
- b. ☐ Other _____

3. Fees The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 when the RCE is filed.

- a. ☒ Check in the amount of \$385.00 is enclosed for the following fees:
- i. ☒ RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e), REQUIRED when filing the RCE.
- ii. ☐ Extension of time fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 and 1.17.
- b. ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees, or credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 11-0855

| SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY OR AGENT REQUIRED | | |
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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION AND AMENDMENT AND
RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Applicants file this Request for Continued Examination (RCE) pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.114. A check in the amount to cover the payment of fees pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is enclosed. In response to the Final Office Action mailed April 20, 2004, a three-month period for response to which expires on July 20, 2004, applicants respectfully request amendment of the application as follows and reconsideration of the rejected claims based upon the amendments and the following remarks.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on July 19, 2004.

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